## English Overview

Year Group 6	Autumn  Vikings		Spring  Land of the Free		Summer Monarchy	
Topic:						
YEAR B	Narrative	<ul> <li>Viking Boy (Tony</li> <li>Bradman) -</li> <li>Storywriting</li> <li>Viking sagas</li> </ul>	Narrative	<ul> <li>Inside Out &amp; Back         Again. (SMSC         immigration) -         newspaper writing</li> </ul>	Narrative	<ul> <li>Cogheart – Peter Bunzl</li> <li>(set in Victorian era)</li> <li>Chitty Chitty Bang Bang</li> <li>(KS2 production)</li> </ul>
	Non- Fiction	<ul> <li>Non Chron Reports</li> <li>Variety of non-fiction books on Vikings</li> </ul>	Non- Fiction	<ul> <li>Newspapers</li> <li>Martin Luther KIng &amp; Rosa Parks Biographies</li> <li>Goodnight Stories for Rebel Girls</li> <li>Biography</li> <li>Persuasive Writing (I Have a Dream speech)</li> </ul>	Non- Fiction	- Letter Writing - Instructions
	Poetry	<ul> <li>Viking Boy prologue</li> <li>Viking battle prayers</li> <li>(performance poetry) -</li> <li>compared with WW1&amp;2</li> <li>poetry (SMSC).</li> </ul>	Poetry	Maya Angelou, Still I rise (performance poetry)	Poetry	- Cinquains - The Highwayman 1700s
	SPAG	<ul> <li>Relative clauses</li> <li>Speech Punctuation</li> <li>Dictionary Work</li> <li>Expanded noun phrases</li> <li>Figurative language (similes, metaphors, personification etc)</li> <li>Adverbials</li> </ul>	SPAG	<ul> <li>Passive &amp; Active Voice</li> <li>Precis long passage</li> <li>Formal and informal</li> <li>Layout Devices</li> <li>Higher level punctuation</li> <li>Fact and Opinion</li> <li>Modal Verbs</li> </ul>	SPAG	- Revision - Tenses
Topic:	Mayans		Volcanoes		Local History & Geography (Canals and	

						Shoes)
YEAR B	Narrative	The Explorer – Catherine Rundell Rain Player – David Wisniewski	Narrative	<ul> <li>The Girl of Ink &amp; Stars (story writing)</li> <li>Volcano &amp; Mountain myths</li> </ul>	Narrative	Matilda? (Linked to KS2 production)
	Non- Fiction	Instructions Diary Writing	Non- Fiction	<ul> <li>Recount</li> <li>Volcano non-fiction texts (Pompeii)</li> <li>Newspaper reports</li> </ul>	Non- Fiction	Letter writing
	Poetry	- Nature Is Speaking (writing poems using personification)	Poetry	Fire poems	Poetry	- When I Grow Up (Tim Minchin)
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